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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re of Applicant)
Pawan R. Gupta)
Serial No.: 09/521,037)
Filing Date: March 8, 2000)
Title: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR TESTING THE TENSION IN STRESSED CABLES OF (CONCRETE STRUCTURE)

Art Group: 2855

Examiner: MARTIR, LILYBETT

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RESPONSE

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Responsive to the Office Action dated April 7, 2003, charging V a due date of July 7, 2003, Applicant hereby submits the F S S T following Amendment.

REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 5-10, 12-14, and 16-18 are pending and rejected in this application.

Claims 1, 8, and 10 are amended hereby; and claims 19 and 20 are added hereby. Applicant submits that no new matter has been introduced in such claims. Support for the newly added subject matter can be found at, e.g., Figs. 1, 3, and/or 5.

Responsive to the rejection of claims 1 and 7-9 under 35 USC § 102 (b) as being anticipated by JP8-178770 (Kamibayashi),